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AN IRISHMAN'S LUCK  
OUR SERIAL STORYCHAPTER 35  
An Open Question

Though the was scandalous, and olivevly brought to the blush by the sporting form of Tad's cabigram, the boy himself, was entirely unashamed, and when in the course of a few days an answer—or rather two answers, came, one to Evelyn herself and one to Tad, he felt that he had entirely the best of the argument. 'My English may be pretty rocky, Dad, but you see it did the trick. In his cable to me Mr. Tom says he

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is bringing me stacks—that's his own word. Dad—of curiosities, and though Miss Raye did not show me her own she looked so jolly free and happy that I scooted out of the room—& fear—she might do it again, you know.' In some things boys of that age are as disingenuous as their sisters a few years older.

Now that was all over Tad was secretly rather more than proud of the success of his show—the only weak point to his mind being the rather uncomfortable terms on which he had left Miss Dawson, and even later.

Evelyn was in the hammock under the trees in the rectory garden, with a book in her lap for appearance sake, when Tad came running round the corner of the house. 'Oh, I say, Miss Raye, there's Miss Dawson in the 'stud' and she wants to see you and she's got a big parcel and she looks kind of shaky. You won't be down on her about the letter, will you? I'm sure she was awfully sorry, and she can't help old Dawson being her father, you know.'

That Evelyn was not 'down on her' may be inferred from the fact that Mary Ann looked unmistakably happy when she left the rectory an hour or so later. She had made a full and entire confession of her lapse from the narrow path of official righteousness and regard to the regulations of the office; her peace offering of her cherished quilt had been accepted with some blushes—she's a dear old thing, and it was delightful of her to give it to me,' Evelyn confided to Mrs. Jordan afterwards when she showed her the 'chef d'oeuvre' in the privacy of her own room. 'But I wouldn't for worlds show it to anybody else—not till afterwards.' For Tad, Mary Ann

left her love and a large package of very high-grade cookies. 'I never could have had the courage to tell you, she admitted tearfully to Evelyn as she sought her confession to a close. If it had not been for the child—his eyes were that kind and trusting, and me telling him a black lie—the poor innocent—it near broke my heart after he had gone—so it did.'

Now slowly, now swiftly, and happily passed away for Evelyn; sometimes to her wild longing it seemed as though the ship that was bringing her lover to her would never reach port; at other times she would be seized with a panic of shyness as to how she should have the courage to meet when he came.

Tad never relaxed in his devotion to his trust, though he could not forbear wondering at the intricacy of the female mind as revealed by the frequent changes in Evelyn's spirits. As usual he took his wonders to Dad. 'Miss Raye's awfully nice—for a girl—sometimes pretty near as good as a boy—and I wouldn't say a word to any one else, but she's a bit batty'—yesterday she sat in the hammock all afternoon and just mooned, and this afternoon down in 'owards bush, when we were picking cranberries she was as wise as a hussy—scrambled over the fallen logs and laughed when she tore her petticoats and raced me across the fifty yards of garden to the meadow and I quite expect that when Mr. Tom has married her he'll wonder some days where he has got off at.'

The 'Hibernian' howford bound was steaming slowly down the St. Lawrence, and Tom Dennis and his wife were standing on deck, watching the sun sink behind old Quebec. The kindly shales of a life-boat gave what Tom judged was of sufficient privacy for his arm to rest on Evelyn's waist. 'You see that arm is a bit stiff yet from the old Dutchman's bullet, and it aches if I let it just hang loose,' and Evelyn accepted this excuse as sufficient. 'Do you know, Evelyn, that though I meant to ask you if you would have me and pretty near did a year ago yet actually as a matter of fact I never did—and I suppose it's too late now.'

Well, Tom dear, I'm afraid it is, since what you call your Irishman's luck has hampered you with a wife without the asking—at all, it seems keeping up the name of your countrymen to marry first and do your asking afterwards.'

'You don't say Tom—of-pay Comemora ways I'll just kiss you, where you stand, and the ship's person is nursing the first sensation of seasickness right at the end of the boat—and as for marrying first and courting afterwards, why, as we say at home—there are worse things than that same.'

A few minutes' silence, and the sun, who had been blushing for some time discreetly hid his face at a turn of the river. 'Now dusk it's got all at once, Tom,' and Evelyn looked up in Tom's face. 'I didn't tease you, did I, Tom? That's always been an open question between them—but Tom maintained that he was justified by the terms of his threat.'

(THE END)

Municipal District  
Merton Council

(Continued from front page)

Notes are due and payable. Carried. Mr. Wilson moved that Secretary take the necessary action to protect the Chattel Mortgage security on all Seed Grain notes given on holders of C.P.R. land. Carried.

Re Divertion on S.W. 12-47-1 Secretary was instructed to write to Mr. Atkinson offering the sum of \$20 as compensation for appropriation of right of way.

Mr. Sharf moved that Council request every person having loose hay lying around to gather up same; as it is a menace to stock, and that a notice be posted in the paper to that effect, and that each Councillor be empowered to enforce the request of the municipal Districts Act. Carried. Mr. Reynolds moved that Secretary get full particulars of Assessment required and advertise for Assessors of the District. Carried.

Mr. Reynolds moved that Council recommend to the Lloydsminster Hospital District that Merton M. D. undertake to assume responsibility of 1920.

Mr. Mackay moved that the Reeve and Secretary interview the Merchants Bank in connection with Grain he advanced to deserving Farmers requiring same and all applications be in the hands of the Council before December 1st. Carried.

Mr. Wilson moved that Secretary get forms of Application for Seed Grain printed. Carried. Accounts amounting to \$121.68 were submitted to Council and passed for payment on motion of A. B. Cameron. Mr. Wilson moved the adjournment.

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF  
MERTON, NO. 451

## Notice

## Re Loose Barbed Wire

The Council of Merton M.D. No. 451 request that all persons having loose Barb Wire lying around old Haystacks or on the open prairie, take steps to gather up the same; as this Wire is a menace to stock ranging in the District.

The Councillor of each District is empowered to enforce the request of the Council under the provisions of Section 15 of Clause 191 of the M.D. Act.

L. B. NICHOLSON, Sec.-Treas.  
DINA, P.O.

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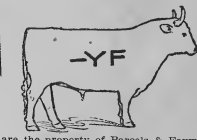
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MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF  
MERTON, NO. 451Assessor or Assessors  
Wanted

Applications a requested for the position of Assessor or Assessors of the Municipal District of Merton, No. 451. The Assessor will be required to visit each assessable quarter of land and assess the same at its value. The work to be completed prior to June 1st 1920. Applications, stating salary required should be in Secretary's hands before December 6th.

L. B. NICHOLSON,  
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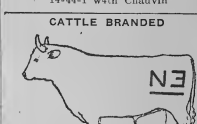
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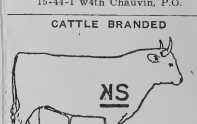
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Detention after this notice incurs prosecution.

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He who rides behind another does not travel alone he pleases.

**Bound For Europe**

As is customary at this season of the year, many people in Western "Go over 'one' for the holiday season. For their convenience, the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway has arranged to operate a through, tourist sleeping car from Edmonton to Portland, Maine leaving Edmonton at 9:00 a.m. December 1st, connecting with S.S. Megantic which will leave Portland for Europe on Saturday, December 6th. This arrangement permits passengers to make the trip without change of cars and with a maximum of comfort. See nearest Grand Trunk Pacific agent for full information and reservations or write W. E. Duperow, General Passenger Agent, Winnipeg.

**Childrens Corner**

Adults reading this will be Impounded

The blind man picked up a hammer—and saw.  
The dumb man picked up a wheel—and spoke.

What bird reminds you of a dog when he is pleased?  
A wag-tail.

**The Story Of An Edmonton Mouse**

He was a young and unsophisticated mouse that ventured into Jasper avenue at noon one day. He chose one of the busiest sections for his excursion, and in five minutes he had experienced more of the hazards of the adventurous life than comes to the average mouse in a lifetime.

Barely had he reached the centre of the pavement when a feminine foot descended on him. The lady passed on so serenely unconscious of the near tragedy, and after a few seconds or paralyzing fear, the mouse darted towards the gutter, breathing blessings high and low and vaulted nimbly that spared him from an untimely end.

A fox terrier, nosing along the kerb pounced at the small creature, who promptly ran under the wheels of a passing automobile. The dog, trying to follow, was bowled over for his pains.

Reaching the car track, the mouse covered in the trench formed by the channel in the steel rail. Just as a car was about to thunder over him and end his conscious wanderings he went over the top and dropped breathlessly into one of those capacious gutters (that a thoughtful city provides along the car tracks for the accommodation of the mice in distress).

Abandoning his efforts to cross Jasper Avenue as American aviators cross the Atlantic by the hop, skip and jump method, the mouse turned on his tracks. Through the narrow wheel of a new baby's bicycle, under several automobiles, and over innumerable boots, he glubbed and zig-zagged back towards the gutter.

He charged straight at a bevy of ladies waiting for a car. They scattered with shrieks and in unaccountable raising of skirts. With somewhat a restored morale, he sat up on his haunches and pawed the snow out of his eyes and sprouting whiskers. While he was absorbed in his toilet, a kindly hand reached down and picked him up.

Came to the last and with an entire absence of gratitude not confined to the mouse tribe, he turned on his rescuer and made teeth marks in the finger of the Good Samaritan. Struggling and protesting, he was carried to a grating and dropped through. Scarcely to his feet he gave one upward glance at the bars overhead, but decided to call it a day, and disappeared into the "darkest recesses" of the cellar.

**THE APE AND THE WEDGE**

In Behar, a great temple was being built, and a carpenter who had partly sawed through a huge beam of wood went away to dinner, leaving a wedge in the beam to prevent he sawn parts from springing together. While the man was away, a party of monkeys came along, and one of these, thinking to appear clever before his companions, said:

"See me take the wedge out of this beam and give the carpenter more work to do!"

Then he jumped down into the open end of the beam, and tugged away at the wedge, until at last it came out, and at the same moment he sections of the beam sprang together and held the monkey fast until the carpenter returned.

"Those who make trouble for others often fall into it themselves."

**Conundrums**

\* Which clothes last the longest?  
Indoor clothes, because you never wear them out.

\* What is it that a pudding has that everything else has as well?  
A name.

Inside a little brown house I found a little white house. Inside a little white house I found a dairy. What is it?

A coconut.  
In which month do ladies talk least?  
In February, because it is the shortest.

\* Round as an apple, deep as a well; it won't cry out till you pull its tail?  
A bell.

**These Tours****Are Interesting**

North Pacific Coast and California resorts are becoming more popular each year with residents of Western Canada who seek a haven for two or three months during the extreme weather the prairie country liberates because of its geographical situation. There are also those who have leisure to make the trip for a shorter period to indulge in the pastimes afforded or bask in the sunshine of

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**STRAYED:** ONTO MY PREMISES one yearling steer, brindle with white head, no horns, no brand visible. John Taylor, 24-44-2 Chauvin. 291p

**WANTED:** To hear from parties who have several head of calves for the winter, or will let out in any number to experienced parties. State price per head for two year olds and over yearlings and calves also what kind of shelter, amount and kind of feed. Maxwell Cook, Wainwright, Alta. 85x

## Lost &amp; Strayed

**WANTED:** POSITION AS HOUSE-keeper by widow with girl of 10 years old. Mrs. Carlson, C.O. Mrs. Sorben. Chauvin. 285p

**STRAYED ONTO MY PREMISES:** one Red Steer, coming 3 years, branded S 6 left hip. E. Aalborg. Oxville, Alta.

**STRAYED:** TO MY PREMISES Black Steer, dehorned, branded S A right ribs. R. Edmonds, N.W. 24-44-2 Chauvin 291p

**LOST:** ONE, WHITE GELDING 400 lbs. One Grey Mare, 1300 lbs; both with halters on from 28-44-1 & Donald McKensie, Chauvin 290p

**FOUND:** SECTION OF WAGON Bndgate, Owner can recover by paying advertisement. Chronicle.

**LOST:** THREE RED STEERS: ONE branded W 3 right shoulder, bob tail; one branded 36 right ribs, V one no brand, white face, short ears, white belt down right ribs. Leggett Bros. Prospect Valley. 291p

**STRAYED:** TO MY PLACE, ONE white faced aged cow; one roan steer branded T Y O prove ownership, feed. Leggett Bros. Prospect Valley.

**LOST:** ONE 2 YEAR OLD STEER, white face; 1 yearling steer, white face; 1 yearling heifer, white face; 1 red yearling steer. No brand, suitable reward. Oliver Jardine, R.R. NO. 1, Edgerton, Alta.

**STRAYED:** TO MY PREMISES about Oct. 10th One Roan Steer, 18 months old, branded U H felt ribs. Roan Steer, 18 months old, indicated brand left ribs, Owner requested to prove property, pay expenses and take them away. George Bell, 8-44-2 Chauvin. 291p

**LOST:** SINCE JULY ONE TWO-year old boy gelding, hind feet white and white mark in face resembling a reversed S suitable reward, notify Grover Lassell, Chauvin. 283p

**STRAYED:** ONTO MY PREMISES since 13th October, One red mule, cow, branded S W on right ribs with black muley heifer calf at foot John Milne, S.W. 2-44-3 with Edgerton, Alta.

**STRAYED:** TO MY PREMISES One black steer, little white, hole in one ear, One red steer, white face no visible brand, both yearlings. Dr. Folkins, Chauvin.

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**LOST:** Red and white Yearling Heifer, O O left shoulder. C. Oulette, Chauvin. 289p

**STRAYED:** BLACK FILLY COLT nine months old, right hind foot white \$500 reward for information leading to recovery. S. W. Buck, Chauvin lfx

**LOST:** ONE RED STEER RED and white, coming 3 years, branded on left hip E R \$5. reward for recovery. R. Edmonds, Chauvin, 285p

**STRAYED:** to my premises Red yearling heifer, white on belly, small white marks up right hind leg, no brand small red mark on navel. Tom Cotes, N.W., 32 43-2 with, 3 miles N. of Ribstone.

**LOST:** SORREL MARE, COMING 5 years, branded on right jaw, S stripe on face, Tom Smith, Batze.

**STRAYED:** FROM THE PREMISES OF A. B. Kenyon, E ¼ 30-44-2, Edgerton, one red cow with white face, dehorned, branded B left hip with black calf, finder will be rewarded.

**STRAYED:** TO THE PREMISES OF A. B. Kenyon, E ¼ 30-44-2, Edgerton one red yearling heifer, branded C N right rib.

**STRAYED:** TO MY PREMISES since October 12th; red and whitish muley heifer and red steer with red and white face, yearlings, branded

4 8 on left ribs. Thos. Bazley, Edgerton.

**LOST:** Light Bay Mare, three years old, 1100 lbs, white stripe on face; also Red Heifer, two years old, little white on flanks. Both branded with shield on right shoulder. \$15.00 reward for information leading to recovery. T. H. Smith, Ribstone. 285p

**STRAYED:** TO MY PREMISES sec. 35-45-2 2 year old heifer, branded C u top of left hind leg. Carl Christianson. 287

**STRAYED TO PREMISES:** TWO Calves, branded I M left ribs, Rohrer Ranch, Ribstone.

**LOST:** RED AND WHITE STEER, two years old; since May. Finder notify Fred StJean, Chauvin.

## Editorial Comment

A strange characteristic of villages and small towns, not to mention the rural municipalities is that of expressing their approval of the actions and policies of their retiring civic officers as a cold shiver.

It matters not that these men have given an incalculable amount of time to the work, that they have received and dealt with innumerable requests and demands, both reasonable and unreasonable; that they have given the best thought to be directed to of the affairs of the public. It would appear that the most suitable reward the public can give is a lack of opposition. Silence, they tell us, gives consent.

## SPLENDID RECORD OF CHAUVIN VILLAGE COUNCIL

The council of the Village of Chauvin have made a record of which they may justly be proud. The old council of 1918 left the retiring council with a cash balance of \$272.36 and a liability of assets over obligations of \$4061.13. During the current year the retiring council have maintained the public service in an efficient manner. The general cleanliness of the town has been maintained in a more efficient manner than is the case in most centres of similar size. The health of the public has unsurprisingly been good. Sidewalks and other public properties have been maintained in good condition, and unnecessary expenditures are studiously avoided. This has been fruit increasing a highly satisfactory condition in the civic finances. At the end of October the cash balance of the village of Chauvin was \$119.06 and the balance of assets over liabilities was \$4457.26. "This being an increase of \$129.85 in the cash balance and an increase of \$322.02 in the balance of assets over liabilities."

Comparisons are odious. There are several of our sister towns along this line of railroad, and within a hundred miles from here that find it necessary to compromise with their creditors, in one case to hand their affairs to the provincial government. Such is not the case with Chauvin. And in such season as the present it is a matter of which we may take special pride.

In making these comments, we have but one regret. It is the fact that it is left entirely to the local press to give expression to these vital items

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of information. We have much respect for the council who do their work and make no noise about it. But at the same time we regret that no one of citizens should take it upon themselves to express a vote of thanks to the retiring council. Possibly the citizens share in some measure our own reticence. We confess to such a reticence because of the few—the few who regard every expression of approval as a means of sneaking towards some advantage to be gained, as in our case "a little bit of printing" for such persons are in the minority (but not without their influence) and we feel that we are expressing the views of the majority of our citizens when we say the village council have done well and keep the good work going.

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The Chauvin Pharmacy  
Paris, Nov. 27.—Bulgaria has finally signed the peace treaty surrendering stolen goods and will pay an indemnity of \$445,000.00. Sis George Perley attached signature on behalf of Canada.

300 delegates were present at the Annual meeting of the U.G.G. at Winnipeg, Nov. 27th. The years profits were \$145,449. A six per cent dividend has been paid.

RURAL MUNICIPALITY OF MANITOULAKE, NO. 42.

## Notice

Notice is hereby given, in accordance with the provisions of The "Stray Animals" Act, 1915, that permission has been given by the Council of the above-named Municipality for stock to be herded during the period that Herd Law remains in force and in consequence all owners of grain or hay stacks are warned to remove them. Any loss or expense caused through failure to do so must be borne by owners of such stacks.

H. D. SWARBRICK, Secretary  
Marsden, Sask., November 13 1919.

The Chauvin Pharmacy already have on display Xmas cards, Xmas books, Xmas stationery, Xmas decorative brushes, mirrors, combs, trays, manicure sets, and a hundred other odds and ends. No need to send out of town this year as you can see just what you want and know if you are going to like it before paying the money.

## CHAUVIN AGENCY

for the

TOFIELD

COAL

CO.,

Per Carload, F.O.B. Chauvin, per ton \$5.00

Retail, Off Car, ..... per ton \$.575

Delivered in Town on in bin, per ton, \$6.25

Per Carload, F.O.B. Ribstone, per ton \$5.00

Per Carload, F.O.B. Artland, per ton 5.25

QUOTATIONS FOR OTHER POINTS ON APPLICATION

Call, write, phone, or wire

A. C. NACHTERGAELE  
Woodland Dairy Building, Chauvin

## SPOT CASH

FOR YOUR

CREAM, BUTTER, EGGS & POULTRY

PRICES THIS WEEK

SPECIAL	.....	80c.
NO. 1	.....	55c.
NO. 2	.....	52c.
EGGS	.....	Per dozen 45c.
BUTTER	.....	45c.
SPRING CHICKEN, Dressed	lb	18c.
SPRING CHICKEN, Live	lb	13c.
FOWL, Live	.....	13c.
FOWL, Dressed	.....	9c.
ROOSTERS, Dressed	.....	10c.
ROOSTERS, Live	.....	10c.

A. J. ROBINSON,

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